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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the office action mailed March 23, 2006, setting a three (3) month shortened statutory period for response which expired on June 23, 2006, and which has been extended three months to September 23, 2006, please amend said application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification are set forth on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.